

REPORTS SHOW ACTIVE CHURCH

METHODIST DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS RECITE WORK OF YEAR IN CONFERENCE.

"PREACHER ONLY IS FAILURE"---DR. GRAY

Speaker Declares Minister Must Do More Than Talk to Insure Success---Change Program.

The Program.

Tonight:
7:30 o'clock---Anniversary of Temperance society, J. H. Thompson, presiding. Address, Dr. A. A. Parker of the Board of Foreign Missions.

Tomorrow:
8:30 a. m.---Business Session.
10:00 a. m.---Bishop's Address to the class.

2:00 p. m.---Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Mrs. T. A. Corken, presiding. Speakers: Miss Elizabeth Wells, India; Miss Kate Moss.

3:00 p. m.---Lecture---"Our Lives," by Dr. Gray.

4:00 p. m.---Annual Business Meeting of Women's Home Missionary Society.

7:30 p. m.---Lecture, Judge William H. Wallace of Kansas City.

The second day's session of the Missouri annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church started off this morning with a full attendance and with the organization perfected. Several changes have been made in the program for the week, which is causing some confusion among the speakers and attendants. All persons attending the conference however are being well entertained and cared for at the hotels and the homes over the city. All express satisfaction at the welcome being extended by residents of the city.

Superintendents Report.

The conference opened this morning with a business session preceded by an address by Presiding Bishop Wilbur P. Thirkfield. The report of the superintendents of the five districts within the confines of the conference also were read at this morning's session. All were approved. The reports showed that great progress had been made in all the districts both in a gain of membership and also in placing the churches on a firmer financial basis, than they ever have heretofore enjoyed.

The veterans of the conference, of which there are quite a number yet, most of them being in attendance, held their anniversary beginning at 2 o'clock this afternoon. They ranged in age from fifty-five to eighty years, but in spirit appeared just as young, as many of the succeeding generation of gospel workers in attendance.

Change Tonight's Program.

The Rev. Joseph M. M. Gray of Kansas City, then gave his second address of the conference on "Our Preaching." This was heard by a large crowd. The offering for tonight is almost entirely made over. J. H. Thompson will preside as first arranged but neither of the scheduled speakers will appear. However, material has been found to take their places.

The Rev. H. G. McCain, extension secretary of the Temperance society, which observes its anniversary tonight, was unable to be present. The Rev. Fletcher Homan, traveling secretary of the organization, spoke in his stead yesterday morning however, having gotten his "dates" mixed.

Judge William H. Wallace of Kansas City, who was to have spoken tonight, will not address the conference until tomorrow night. His place on the program tonight will be filled by the Rev. A. A. Parker, director of religious education in India for the Board of Foreign Missions. Judge Wallace succeeds the Rev. J. W. Lee of St. Louis, on the program tomorrow night. Mr. Lee being compelled to cancel his engagement here entirely.

Dr. Parker, who speaks tonight, has devoted his attention principally in his work to the development and improvement of the Sunday schools in foreign climes. He was pastor of St. Paul's church at Wichita, Kan., for seven years, going to India from there in 1904, where he built and organized the Nicholson School of

Theology at Baroda.

Announce Transfers.
The following routine business was transacted this morning:
Effective elders passed and reports presented.

Methodist Book company presents report and check for \$600 as conference's share of profits.

Transfers out of conference and of those coming in, were announced by Bishop Thirkfield.

The Rev. J. J. Bentley was re-appointed corresponding secretary of Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph.

These visitors were introduced:
The Rev. A. A. Parker, of the Board of Foreign Missions, H. R. DeBra,

president of the Wesleyan College at Cameron, Dr. Schoup, of Anti-Saloon League, Dr. Anderson, superintendent of Kansas City district of St. Louis conference, Miss Britt of the National Training School for Deaconesses at Kansas City. Each made a short talk.

W. H. Welton, D. J. Little and Calvin Allen, retired ministers were introduced. Mr. Allen, who is 87 years old, has been a member of the Missouri conference since 1859. He gave a heart touching talk to the conference delegation, which was followed by a general grip of fellowship.

Women Speak.

The Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society to be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon will be unique in that it will have for its principal speaker Miss Wells who has given two terms of splendid service in Vikarabad, India. Miss Wells was not only born and reared within the bounds of the conference but is also a graduate of Missouri Wesleyan College.

Miss Gertrude Bridgewater of Memphis also will briefly relate her experience. She is under appointment to West China.

The branch representative, Miss Kate Moss who also speaks, spent most of her year in the conference.

The Rev. George P. Sturgess, pastor of the Methodist church of St. Louis, opened the conference yesterday afternoon, taking the place of the Rev. F. B. Fisher, D. D., of New York City, who was unable to be present on account of a meeting in New York.

Mr. Sturgess took up missionary life of the church and gave some interesting facts of the work accomplished last year by the different mission boards.

"Preacher Alone, is Failure."

The Rev. James M. M. Gray, D. D., pastor of the Grand Avenue Methodist church of Kansas City, gave the principal address of the afternoon. He took for his theme "Our Call." He presented his subject in a way which carried interest and understanding to the outsider as well as to the minister.

"Many persons say we are not called to the ministry," said Dr. Gray in beginning his address. "The only disadvantage in the statement is that it is untrue. If a minister only chose to be a preacher he would be the most perfect failure I know of."

Continuing, Dr. Gray said, "There are three things a preacher is called to; the experience of life; the spirit of sympathy and helpfulness for his brother---the supreme joy of a serene faith and confidence in God."

"Whenever I hear a person make the statement that there are limitations to the life of a preacher I feel as a writer once said, that I am in the proximity of a fool."

Power of Ministry.

"No calling has such wonderful power, no calling deals with all the phases and conditions of life and no calling has such opportunities for service and the ministry. The lawyer sees only the tumultuous side, the doctor the distressed side, the preacher sees all sides.

The highest men know, the best they can think, the noblest they can imagine is there for the preacher to take and use and to give to others that their dreams might be better, their ideals higher, their lives nobler that in the end they may see God and walk with Him."

"The people of the United States need hospitals now far more than they do churches," was the opening statement made by the Rev. A. H. DeLong, field secretary of the Ensworth Hospital at St. Joseph, in a conference lecture last night. "There is hardly a time that you can go into the churches and find all of the seats taken. But in the hospitals you will find all of the beds taken and many

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STORM ANTWERP

GERMANS THREATEN ATTACK ON BELGIAN STRONGHOLD.

TEUTONS CROSS NEITH

Emperor's Army Succeeds After Fierce Fighting---Bombs Kill Score in Belgium's Metropolis.

(By American Press.)

London, Oct. 8.---The Teutons have succeeded in crossing the river Neithe after a bloody battle. An official report from Berlin says a great fight is still without result.

Antwerp, Oct. 8.---Conditions of panic among populace increased by the appearance of a German aircraft at 11 o'clock this morning and at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Bombs were dropped which destroyed seven houses and killed a score of people.

Handelsblad learns from the Antwerp commander of German forces that unless Antwerp surrendered the bombardment of that city would begin at once.

Germans have forced crossing of river Neithe by means of heavy artillery.

TO GIVE ORATORICAL CONTEST.

Aid Society of Parnell Church Announces Novel Entertainment.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church of Parnell will give a married women's oratorical contest Saturday night for the benefit of the church. The following is the program to be given.

Instrumental solo---"The Fire Alarm," Miss Della Miller.

Reading---"No Sect in Heaven," Mrs. J. F. La Favor.

Reading---"Trouble in the Amen Corner," Mrs. Arch Martin.

Solo---Mrs. H. O. Gray.

Reading---"The Future Elections," Mrs. J. F. McKee.

Reading---Mrs. W. N. Morgan.

Reading---"Katrina's Visit to New York," Mrs. Sadie Batt.

Instrumental Duet---Misses Evadne and Wilma McKee.

Reading---"The Photograph Album," Mrs. J. W. Kennedy.

Reading---"An Old Woman's Complaint," Mrs. Byrd Frank.

Trios---"Sunset," Elma Martin, Martha Pope and Quete Morgan.

Reading---"The Race Question," Mrs. Nettie Stewart.

Reading---"How Ruby Played," Mrs. F. M. Byrd.

Voting and presentation of prizes.

Street Grader Arrives.

The new four-horse power street grader which the city recently ordered on trial arrived here yesterday and was tested out on Lincoln street, between Main and Market streets. It is said to give good service. If accepted, the cost will be \$120 to the city.

Another grader has been ordered on trial. The one giving the most satisfactory work will be retained. Another test of the new grader will be given by the street force tomorrow morning if the ground dries sufficiently.

Light Plant About Ready.

The electric plant for Hopkins is about ready and it is thought the current will be turned on about the first of the month. The 90-horse power engine for the plant is now being installed. An 18-hour service will be given at the start and after the first of next May a 24-hour service.

FINE CARTER \$700

FAIRFAX MAN WAS NEGLIGENT, JURY HOLDS.

FINISH CRIMINAL WORK

State Cases in September Term Are at End---Judge Awards Ravenwood Boy for Labor.

After having been out twenty hours, a jury in circuit court fined Arthur Carter of Fairfax \$700 for fourth degree manslaughter at 8 o'clock this morning. He immediately filed a security bond of \$1,000, with his father, John N. Carter, as surety. A motion for a new trial probably will be made it is said.

Carter was charged with having negligently driven his racing automobile against Charles Wood, a farmer residing near Barnard, last April. The impact threw Wood against his wagon and caused his death two days later. The accident occurred near Barnard. The maximum fine that could have been administered to Carter by the jury is \$1,000, together with a jail sentence. Several ballots were taken by the jury before a verdict was reached. Edward Shreve was foreman.

Charles Reed, living near Ravenwood, was given a judgment of \$25.92 against Samuel Kime for labor by a jury after fifteen minutes deliberation late yesterday afternoon. Reed originally sued for approximately \$65. Kime then filed a cross bill. It was appealed from justice court.

Ernest McClain lost in a labor suit against Guy E. Gray in a jury trial late yesterday afternoon. It, too, was appealed from justice court. McClain sued for \$85, alleged to be due him for about three months work he performed for Gray several months ago. Gray lives near Maryville.

The trial of criminal cases has ended in circuit court for this term, the Carter case being the last one. Some disposition will have to be made of several cases still on the September docket, but this will be done by the court. There will be no more jury trials except in trial cases. The criminal work was completed in quick order this term, attorneys say, considering the nature of the cases. The men who served on the various juries have been complimented considerably. Routine work transacted in court the last day follows:

W. M. Ramey against the Burlington, for damages on a stock shipment, dismissed.

First National Realty and Loan Company against Adolphus O. Mason, on contract, dismissed.

A. C. Snyder against C. E. Taylor, appeal, judgment of justice court affirmed by agreement.

Homer Hankins against Wabash, for damages, dismissed.

Mary A. Shinabargar and others against Joseph H. Sobling, on n. t. e. judgment for \$159.92 for plaintiff by default.

Citizens bank of Graham against J. J. Hall and others, on note, dismissed.

Real Estate bank relieved of garnishment in suit of Curtis and Wright against Glen E. Riley, on attachment.

A suit of Hamilton Brothers against W. W. McAtee and others in an appeal from justice court, went to a jury this afternoon. Evidence was submitted this morning.

The trial of the suit of John S. Wal-

do against Arthur S. Robey, over a contract, was begun when court convened at noon.

TON OF FIREWORKS HERE.

For the Display to Be Given at Home-Coming Next Week.

Preparations for the fireworks display which will be given here by the Pain Fireworks company next week are under way. Two of the Pain men arrived here yesterday and a ton of fireworks arrived here this morning. William F. Rohr, who has charge of the displays, promises to surprise the people with the magnificence of the displays.

Giant setpieces of every description and most wonderful combinations will be designed and assembled from now until the time the first piece is touched off.

One of the features will be the emblem of the Woodmen of the World in fireworks. This piece will be 400 square feet in size. The only thing that can mar the displays will be rain.

IS RURAL PROGRESS DAY

All Schools in County to Form Development Clubs October 30.

October 30 has been set aside by County School Superintendent W. M. Oakerson for the formation of "Rural Development" clubs in each of the rural schools of Nodaway county. Each school over the county will be expected to have a meeting on that night for the purpose of forming clubs for social and community work.

The movement is the result of an agitation being made by the state department of education of Missouri, in co-operation with the agricultural college. The state agrees to furnish speakers on any occasion desired and to furnish all the free literature possible. Suggestions also are made for the work along this line in bulletins issued by the department.

Mr. Oakerson expects many schools over this county to take advantage of the plan and endeavor to extend the social and community work in each district. Parents are urged to co-operate with the teachers.

NORMAL TEAMS IN FORM

Second Round of Games Shows All Are Well Matched.

The second round of the Normal basketball tournament was played yesterday afternoon, resulting in victories for the Giants, who defeated the Minks by a 15-13 count, and the Allies who defeated the Quintet by a score of 18-10.

Each team is beginning to show some team work, and a good article of basketball is being presented for this time in the season. The teams seem to be fairly evenly matched and it would be a difficult matter to say just which aggregation has the best chance for the tournament championship.

The Minks were weakened somewhat yesterday by the absence of Leach, one of their forwards.

Numbers of the students are beginning to attend the games, which are free of charge, and it is expected that there will soon be large audiences present at each game.

The summaries of the games are as follows:

Glants---Field goals, Vandersloot 6, Neal 12, Hamm 1; free throws, Vandersloot 6.

The Minks---Field goals, Ford 3; Powell 2, Miller 1; free throws, Ford 1.

Second game:

The Allies---Field goals, Seymour 6, Scarlett 2; free throws, Seymour 2.

The Quintet---Field goals, Quinn 2, Brittain 1; free throws, Quinn 2. One point was awarded.

The next games will be tomorrow afternoon, when the Quintet will meet the Minks and the Glants will play the Allies.

Wray will probably referee the games.

Arrived From Bedford.

Frank Drum and daughter, Ephie of Bedford, Ia., arrived in the city this morning to spend a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy, after which they will leave for a visit of several months in Texas and Oklahoma.

Returns From St. Joseph.

Mrs. C. D. Hooker returned last night from a visit in St. Joseph with her niece, Mrs. John Koch. She was accompanied by Mrs. Koch who will spend a few days visiting her father, S. H. Townsend.

Mrs. C. A. Bone and Mrs. M. A. Turner spent yesterday visiting friends in St. Joseph.

Miss Mabel Martin returned last night from a few days visit in St. Joseph with her brother, B. R. Martin and family.

IS PUT TO A VOTE

MAY ABOLISH TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION THIS FALL.

CHANGE BOND ELECTION

Lincoln Township Will Vote on \$25,000 Road Issue November 10---Feared a Legal Controversy.

A proposition to abolish township organization and district offices in Nodaway county and transact business of the county from the head offices in Maryville will be put to a vote in the general fall election, November 3, as provided by the county court late yesterday afternoon. Two petitions, one containing 112 names of voters in several townships and the other containing nearly the same number of signatures were presented to the court, asking that such a proposition be put to a vote.

The calling of the vote on township abolishment likewise necessitated the prolongment of the special election in Lincoln township to vote on a \$25,000 bond issue for road and bridge improvement. The date originally set at October 31 was advanced to November 10. The change was made at the instance of Fred Yeomans, clerk of the court, who foresaw difficulty for Lincoln township in issuing its bonds if townships later were abolished.

If, however, a majority of persons in Nodaway county vote for the abolishment of township offices, the Lincoln township election would necessarily have to be annulled entirely. This can be done by the county court when it meets next month. If a majority express approval of township offices November 3, then the Lincoln township bond election will be held November 10, as arranged.

The vote relative to township abolishment will be close, those in a good position to feel the pulse of the voters predict. Many express the belief that the proposition will be turned down by the voters, although it is known there is considerable approval of the proposed movement, especially in the townships close to Maryville.

It requires but a majority of voters to turn the election either way, while in the Lincoln township bond election it will require a two-thirds majority to cause the issuance of the improvement security.

A similar proposition lost in Lincoln township several weeks ago by twenty-six votes. This has added confidence to the prime movers in the bond proposition who believe they can turn a few more votes this time. The vote was 126 for to 76 against the other time.

Nodaway county is one of twenty counties in Missouri which has township organization, none of the adjoining counties having the district offices. The abolishment of township organization in this county would affect about 120 offices and would result in the creation of perhaps two new county offices, they being county collector and county assessor.

LIGHTNING HITS AT NORMAL.

Power Plant Smokestack Is Struck---Damage Is \$500.

The smokestack of the Normal school power plant was struck by lightning last night for the second time in the last two years. It is thought that the stroke which did the damage came at about 9:30 o'clock last night.

The east side of the stack was ripped off for a distance of twenty-five feet, scattering bricks and masonry a considerable distance around the base of the power plant. Some damage was done by the bricks which fell on the slate roof of the building.

The roof of the tool and implement shed, which stands near by, was also riddled by the flying bricks.

Although the damage is not so extensive as that done two years ago, it is estimated that it will take more than \$500 to repair the smokestack and buildings.

Guests at Scott Home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Mendenhall of La Cade, Mo., are in Maryville attending the Conference and while here they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott. Rev. Mendenhall was formerly pastor of the Methodist church at Burlington Junction.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather tonight and Friday; probably showers; not much change in temperature.

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EXPLAINS SUGAR RAISE.

Price Advance is a World-Wide Condition Resulting From War.

The war causes the high prices because of the probability that the strife abroad will greatly reduce the sugar output of European countries, and because of the certainty that Great Britain cannot rely this year upon supplying its needs from the beet sugar growers of Germany and Austria-Hungary. The biggest sugar producing country in Europe is Germany; Austria-Hungary is second, Russia is third and France fourth.

The world's supply centers and requirements have been very evenly balanced for a long time. Now one of the largest sources of supply is cut off. Great Britain has become a bidder for the Cuban and Hawaiian sugars, which, along with the beet and cane sugar produced in this country, have supplied the large consumption of the United States.

In normal times Europe has a beet crop producing each year about eight million tons of refined sugar. For example, the European countries, including those now at war, produced during the last campaign the following amounts of sugar:

Country.	Tons.
Germany	2,738,000
Austria	1,710,000
France	800,000
Russia	1,750,000
Belgium	230,000
Holland	230,000
Other countries	796,000
Total	8,254,000

To Kansas City on Business.

Charles Bellows left this morning for Kansas City to spend a couple of days on business.

Carl Wray, cashier of the State bank at Guilford, was in Maryville today on court business.

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TO ATTEND NATIONAL MEET.

Maryville Woman to Represent Maryville Lodge at Nashville Convention.

Mrs. John Schwartz left this morning for Nashville, Tenn., to attend the national convention of United Garment Workers, which is in session there, beginning October 9. Mrs. Schwartz will be joined at St. Joseph by a party of delegates from Topeka and St. Joseph. She goes as a delegate from the Maryville lodge No. 157.

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Wilcox Baptizes Twelve.

Baptismal services for twelve new members were held this afternoon by the First Christian church at Wilcox. It was in charge of the Rev. G. M. Snell of Mound City, who has been conducting a revival there the last two weeks.

Lecture at Clearmont Tonight.

The first number of the Clearmont Lecture course will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church there tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. The attraction will be Ferrante, the magician.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

BEST HERD IN COUNTRY

Roelofson Herd of Percherons Landed by John F. Case in "Mo. Ruralist."

John F. Case, editor of the Missouri Ruralist, in writing of the herd of Percherons of J. F. Roelofson, has the following to say:

No better bred Percherons can be found in America than those kept by J. F. Roelofson, of Maryville. Mr. Roelofson does not have as many horses as some of the big breeders but he has the quality. Phenix, one of the greatest of Percheron sires, still heads the Roelofson stable. This noted horse has a great show ring record and his get can be found in 10 states. Mr. Roelofson has a worthy companion for Phenix in Kroisour, an imported son of the great Carnot. This horse was purchased especially for the purpose of making a direct cross on the daughters of Phenix and some especially fine colts are expected.

There are a half-dozen more good Percheron stallions at the Roelofson barn but one especially impressed me as a coming great horse. This colt is Dynamo, a son of Phenix, and he has all the style and dash of the light horse combined with the size, weight and muscle of his own great breed. If you do not hear from Dynamo in the show ring it will be because he does not fulfill his early promise.

J. F. Roelofson bred Standard horses for nearly 15 years before taking up the draft horse. Eight years ago he bought his first draft stock paying a long price for several quality Percherons. That he made no mistake is shown by the demand for high class colts. Although there are six draft stallions at the Roelofson stables and 60 mares and colts at the farm, Mr. Roelofson cannot supply the demand for really high grade stallions and brood mares. All of Phenix get are sold before they are two years old. Five years ago J. F. Roelofson was elected president of the Missouri Draft Horse Breeders' association. After all those years of faithful service he hoped to get out of harness at the last meeting but members would not hear of it. Roelofson was re-elected by acclamation and it will likely be a long time before he has a successor. Mr. Roelofson is a booster for the draft horse business in Missouri because he is sincere in his belief that more draft horses are needed in Missouri farms and feels sure that they will prove money makers for the farmers.

"The same feed that it takes to develop a steer will develop a draft horse," said Mr. Roelofson, "and the draft horse will sell for more money." No mistake will be made in buying large, well-bred draft mares and raising either mule or draft colts. Right now big, dependable drafters are selling for record prices. According to the Breeders' Gazette, J. R. Hopkins, of Aristook, Mo., shipped a load of drafters from Chicago in April that brought the highest price ever paid for a load of horses. Mr. Roelofson does not knock on the light horse for he still keeps a few of his first love, the Standard. He thinks there is a place for all of the lighter breeds but contends that for the Missouri farmer the draft horse is the animal that not only gives service but brings in the cash when a sale is made.

Serving Nodaway county as a public administrator, Mr. Roelofson lives in Maryville, where he has a beautiful home and 17 acres of land. Three miles south of town is the 240-acre farm where most of the mares and colts are kept. During the service season the stallions are brought in to the barn at Maryville where they are in charge of Charles Gallagher. The draft colts at the Roelofson farm are well cared for but they are not pampered. The stallion colts and mares are kept in separate enclosures and pastures and the horse colts are fed



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some grain. Commonsense methods of care and feeding, added to good breeding are producing the big boned massive Percherons that find ready sale. Mr. Roelofson has no use for a "dead head" draft, though. He wants them not only big but with plenty of style and action and full of vim and energy. That kind of a draft horse will make friends with the farmer.

There are two small boys at the Roelofson home and Mr. Roelofson hopes to see them become practical farmers and horsemen. Sparkle, a gingery Shetland stallion, belongs to the boys and they are as proud of him as their dad is of his big horses. While driving the pony this spring a stranger stopped them to admire the handsome little fellow and asked their names. When they told they were sons of Frank Roelofson the new friend expressed his surprise that such an ardent advocate of the draft horse would allow anything else on the place. "But you see, Mister," said the oldest boy, "Dad doesn't have anything to do with this horse, he's ours," and they drove

on leaving the smiling horseman convinced that the great Roelofson breeding establishment would fall into capable hands when J. F. gets ready to take a well-deserved vacation.

You can see the Roelofson Percherons on the cover page of this issue of the Missouri Ruralist. The big gray fellow in the group is Phenix. Dynamo is in the foreground and I am sure you will agree with me that he is "some horse."

Henry Berg and Charles Smith, of New Conception visited in Maryville yesterday.

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\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50
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Cornations 60c per dozen, Lily of the Valley 75c per dozen, Snap draxon 50c and 75c per dozen, Gladiolus \$1.00 and \$1.50 per dozen, Violets \$1.00 per 100. Appropriate Fern greens with all flowers. We make no extra charge for proper packing and delivering to address or express office in Maryville.

The Engelmann
Greenhouses

1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

Maryville Homecoming Week Begins Next Tuesday

HOMECOMING DAY

Every Resident of Nodaway County

Should take it upon himself to assist in entertaining former residents who will be here this day. Short talks by several Prominent Nodaway Countyans including Hon. Henry L. Jost, Mayor of Kansas City.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED HOMECOMING DAY

Pain's Fireworks,

At 7:15 P. M. Special
Features Each Night

Athletic Field, State Normal Grounds, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Admission: Single Tickets 25c, Season Tickets, 60c; Children's Season Tickets 45c

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Graham-Latimer Co.

FALL OPENING SALE

Beginning Saturday, October 10th

Don't fail to attend our First Annual Fall Opening Sale for your complete supply of Winter needs.
Watch our Windows for Daily Special Sales Every Day During this Sale.

BLANKETS

One lot, large 66x76 well selected Cotton Blankets, per pair.....98c
One lot splendid 64x76 Wool Nap heavy blankets, per pair.....\$1.98
Good 66x80 pure Wool, mixed blankets, pair.....\$3.98
Large 66x80 ALL Wool, good heavy blankets, A dandy, per pair.....\$4.98
One lot splendid patterns, good 50c quality cut blankets, each.....39c

COMFORTABLES

Good quality 69x75 Silkoline covered, well made comforts.....98c
Splendid floral print Silkoline covered, tacked and stitched 72x78 comforts.....\$1.48

OUTING FLANNELS

Good quality Outing for comforts and gowns in light and dark patterns, unusual values, per yard.....6c
Extra heavy, well napped Outing Flannel. In light and dark patterns, checks, stripes and plain colors, compare with that offered by others at 12 1/2c. Our price per yard.....10c

UNDERWEAR

The winter Underwear is a big item for the family. Compare our quality and prices before buying.

Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers.....39c
Men's heavy fleeced Union Suits, each.....98c
Boys' heavy fleeced Unions, each.....48c
Ladies' heavy ribbed Unions, each.....98c
Ladies' heavy fleeced Unions, each.....98c
Girls' heavy ribbed Unions, each.....48c

OUTING GOWNS

Ladies' and Childrens' well made, nicely trimmed Outing Gowns, made of good quality Outing Flannel, a quality garment never before seen in Maryville at the price.....48c

Extra Special Daily Sales

Every Day from Saturday, October 10th to and Including Saturday, October 17th

Special Saturday, October 10th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

One lot 30x40 Crib Blankets. Splendid assortment of patterns in white with blue and pink borders, 25c value, Saturday at 2 p. m., each.....10c

Special Monday, October 12th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

Number 2, size 22x19x11 heavy galvanized Wash Tubs, made with Malleable iron drop handles, heavy wired top. Monday at 2 p. m., each.....25c

Special Tuesday, October 13th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

Ladies' tight fitting Corset Covers, made with stitched gathers, draw strings, Pearl buttons and made of good quality muslin, never before offered for less than 10c. Tuesday at 2 p. m., each.....5c

Special Wednesday October 14th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

17 inch Japanned Coal Hods, good, well made, black Japanned on heavy steel base, flange bottom heavy flat handle. Guaranteed not to leak and full size. Wednesday at 2 p. m., each.....10c

Special Thursday, October 15th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

DINNERWARE.
One grand assortment of dinnerware, consisting of dinner plates, cups and saucers, oyster bowls, vegetable dishes, meat platters, cream pitchers and salad bowls. All nicely decorated in floral effects and fruits. Thursday at 2 p. m., choice.....10c

Special Friday, October 16th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

100 pairs large 64x76 Cotton Blankets, good weight, full size, \$1.25 values in grey, tan and white. Friday at 2 p. m., pair.....75c

Special Saturday, October 17th BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

Surprising enamelware values, comprising an assortment consisting of double rice cookers, 40 and 12 quart water buckets, 14 quart dish pans, 6 quart Berlin covered kettles, 7 quart Tea kettles.

These come in a pure white lined with blue mottled outside heavy enamel on steel base, values from 50c to 75c. Saturday at 2 p. m., choice.....25c

Watch our windows for these special sale items a day in advance.
Preserve this copy so you won't forget the day and hour of these special sales.
Positively none of our special sale items sold or laid away prior to day and hour specified.

Graham-Latimer Co.

D. E. HOTCHKIN, MANAGER

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

COTTON BATTS

Splendid quality White Cotton.....10c
Choice, long fibre, pure snow white cotton, weighs about 12 ounces, each.....15c
Full three pound 72x90 size, cotton bats, made in one big sheet which opens out nicely for one comfort, pure white. Note our price for this sale, each.....69c

SWEATERS

FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
Men's and Boys' good Jersey Sweaters.....48c
Men's and Boys' heavy Cotton Sweaters.....48c
Infants' heavy mixed Sweaters in a good assortment of colors, each.....48c
Splendid assortment of Ladies' Sweaters in red, oxford and white, from \$1.25 to.....\$2.48

MOTOR HOODS, ETC.

Child's Wool Knit, ball top Toques.....10c
Girls' red, oxford and white Hood.....25c
Ladies' Motor Hoods and Dutch Caps. In a great variety of style and colors from 25c to.....98c

INFANTS WEAR

Infants' Motor Hoods, assorted colors.....25c
Infants' Knit Booties, from 10c to.....39c
Infants' Wool Knit Sacques, 25c to.....48c

GLOVES AND MITTENS

Ladies' fleeced Cotton Gloves, pair.....10c
Ladies' lined, fur trimmed Mittens, pair.....48c
Boys' heavy lined Gauntlet Gloves, pair.....48c
Men's lined Leather Mittens, knit wrist.....25c
Men's lined Suede Driving Gloves.....48c
Men's lined Kid Mittens.....48c

KNIT PETTICOATS

One splendid assortment 75c values, Knit and Flannelette Petticoats, well made, good patterns, each.....48c
Ladies' very heavy all wool Petticoats, in plain and striped patterns, each.....98c
Misses and Child's Petticoats, each.....48c

ATTEND PYTHIAN MEET.

Several Nodaway County Members at Annual Session.

Charles Hyslop and W. H. Crawford of Maryville and John F. Tullock of Barnard represented Nodaway county Pythians at the dinner given last night at St. Joseph at the sixth semi-annual meeting of the First District Pythian association. Stanberry also had a good representation.

F. R. ANTHONY M. D.,

Specialist.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

Was a Heavy Rain.

A total of 2.43 inches of rain fell in Maryville from 7 o'clock yesterday morning to the same hour this morning, according to J. R. Brink, official weather observer. Most of that amount fell from early last night to daylight this morning. The heaviest rain fell between 9 and 12 o'clock last night. With the .27 of an inch the first of the month, and the slight fall a few days afterward, the total rainfall for the first week of October is brought to about three inches. This is considerably above normal.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph yesterday to Earl E. Vickery of Arkoe and Miss Dolores Llavasy of Maryville.

Not good after October 10, 1914.

VOTING COUPON NODAWAY COUNTY HOMECOMING MOST POPULAR LADY CONTEST

Portrait of winner to be shown in fireworks in connection with Pain's Mammoth Pyrotechnic Display.
FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 16.

Name of Nominee.....

Address.....

This Coupon good for 1000 Votes.

Send or mail to Maryville Commercial Club.

GAIN TO FARMERS

WAR ENHANCES VALUE OF YEAR'S PRODUCTION.

COTTON ALONE LOWER

Wheat Increase Amounts to \$275,000,000—Oats and Corn Also Are Higher This Fall.

Farmers of the United States will receive more money for their crops this year than ever before in the history of the country. Not only is the wheat crop by far the largest ever raised, but the returns that can be counted on safely for this crop will exceed the greatest expectations of a few weeks ago.

In virtually every important wheat raising section of the country the producer can now obtain \$1 a bushel for his wheat. A short time ago wheat prices were about 40 cents lower than at present, and in many sections farmers were not getting more than 60 cents a bushel for their wheat.

Considerable wheat was sold at low prices, but of the 900,000,000 bushels that was raised this year it is not likely more than 200,000,000 bushels has been sold at this time from the farms.

All Prices Jump.

A 40-cent advance in the price of wheat means on 700,000,000 bushels \$280,000,000, and from present indications in regard to the export demand a reduction of farm prices for wheat below the dollar level does not appear reasonable. In fact, judging from the way Europe is buying both wheat and flour, farmers may not be willing to sell freely at \$1.

Oats prices have been enhanced about 30 per cent in the heaviest part of the crop movement. On the basis of present values for oats compared to what they were at the beginning of harvest there has been an increase in the value of the crop of about \$175,000,000. Corn prices were high at the beginning of the war, and while there has been no export demand as in wheat and oats to stimulate speculative activity, prices are now the highest in years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas, of Burlington Junction, spent yesterday with friends in Maryville.

MILITIA RENEWS DRILLING.

Company F Again Meets—Will Shoot October 18.

Company F, National Guard of Missouri, began its activities in drilling and army instructions in the armory last night, following a six weeks rest. Many of the members of the company, however, are away from the city and will not return probably for several weeks. Several new additions are expected soon by First Lieutenant Loren W. DeMotte, who has charge of the company. The company will meet Wednesday night.

It will hold its first shoot Sunday, October 18, since the government target range at Atherton's lake was condemned. A site will be selected at some point along the 102 river probably, Lieutenant DeMotte said this morning. Practice will be only at 200 yards and less.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Dale V. Alderman of St. Joseph, who has been visiting at the homes of Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman and Mrs. S. C. Alden, left yesterday afternoon for her home.

Don't pay high prices for wagons when you can buy a first class wagon at old prices. F. BARMANN.

Arrives from Pueblo.

Mrs. Edward Doran, of Pueblo, Colo., arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit Mr. Doran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Doran.

To Spend Winter in Texas.

Miss Minda Ramige left yesterday for Palacios, Texas, to spend several months at the home of her brothers, Fred and George Ramige.

Guests at the Wells Home.

The Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Sample of Hamilton, Mo., and the Rev. G. H. Zentz of Cameron are guests during the conference at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bailey of Amarillo, Texas, who had been visiting relatives in this city left yesterday for St. Joseph to visit friends.

HAVING purchased the office building of Dr. Nash, I will continue to practice there.

DR. F. M. RYAN

To Art Lovers

Noted Pastel Artist in Town

We have with us to remain a few days, the celebrated Pastel Artist, Mr. F. P. Frisch, of Chicago, who will paint, exhibit and place on sale his pictures in our window for a few days. You are cordially invited to call and see Mr. Frisch at work. It is a rare treat to see how these beautiful pictures are executed by one who knows how—at

CRANE'S

Your Next Suit Should be One of Our Collegian Suits

The best material, the best workmanship are fundamental prerequisites of every piece of Collegian Clothes.

They are created by one of the cleverest designers in America. They are making better clothes than they have ever made.

Thousands of young men know the merits of Adler's Collegian Clothes. If you are a young man who demands style, quality and long service in your suits, then you should make your next suit a Collegian Suit.

If you want variety, exclusiveness and economy of economy of price we want to show you a Collegian Suit.

M. Nusbaum

Potatoes! Potatoes!!

We are taking orders for strictly choice Northern and Western Potatoes for winter use

at 65 Cents per Bushel

Place your order with us now. We will give you the best stock obtainable and deliver any time from

October 15th to November 30th as you wish.

Remember quality must suit or no sale.

TOWNSEND'S

FOURTH AND MAIN STREET STORE

Think It's Going to Rain?

You don't know—you never can tell. To be protected you should wear one of our guaranteed Raincoats. These coats are absolutely guaranteed for three years against deterioration. They will not get hard and crack, will not stick to your clothing and are absolutely waterproof. The price of these coats is \$6.00.

Other coats from \$3.00 to \$20.00, and an exceptional fine coat in Misses' and Ladies' sizes for \$5.00.

We Only Ask 50 Cents for Our Rain Hats

We also recover your Umbrella while you wait for \$1.00 or \$1.25 or \$1.50 or \$2.00.

Call and see what kind of service we give in this department. Many people do not know that this is done in Maryville. It makes your old umbrella look like new.

D. R. Eversole & Son

CLEANING HOUSE

Seven Solid Gold LaValliers and Pendants will be sold at ONE-FOURTH OFF; in order to make room for our New Fall Lines.

DeHart and Holmes
Maryville's Live Jewelers

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—5,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.

Hogs—17,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$8.30. Estimate tomorrow, 12,000.

Sheep—24,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,000. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market weak; top, \$8.00.

Sheep—13,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,600. Market steady.
Hogs—8,000. Market 5 to 10c higher; top, \$7.90.

Sheep—200. Market steady.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Try It! Hair Gets Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant at Once—No More Falling Hair.

If you care for heavy hair, that glitters with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Wagner, who live near Burlington Junction, are the parents of a son born Tuesday night.

The Young People's Club of the First Presbyterian church will give an indoor picnic Friday evening at the church. An invitation is extended to all out of town students of the various schools who are affiliated with the Presbyterian church.

A pie supper, following a program, will be held in the Morning View school house, 4½ miles southwest of Parnell and 4½ miles northeast of Ravenwood, Monday night, October 19. Everybody come and bring a pie.

5-10.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 16 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NAT. BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

D. R. Eversole & Son

Don't delay in buying your new fall Coat or Dress. Every day sees the arrival of New Novelties and every day sees them being sold to pleased customers. Delays are some times regretted—so come today.

We Have In Our Stock Right Now THE COATS OF THE HOUR

When you get tired looking at ordinary garments—the commonplace then come to our store and see the Novelties of the Mastermakers. Our styles will be a revelation to you as

Every Garment We Show Has Been BOUGHT SINCE THE STYLE CHANGE

The Coats we show look different from those that most merchants bought six months ago, and the materials are so different too. This feature in our department will be appreciated by those who desire the newest—most up to date styles.

Some More Friday and Saturday Specials at Eversole's

Fancy ribbons worth up to 35c, reduced to 18c a yard.

Boys' rawhide hose, heavy wear for school wear, worth 15c, reduced to 11c.

A \$2.00 Maish comfort, filled with cotton, not rags, reduced to \$1.69.

A good dollar umbrella for this rainy day, reduced to 79c.

Fancy Silkolines for comforts or draperies, a yard wide, 15c grades, reduced to 10c.

Hope muslin, in short lengths from 2 to 6 yards, at 7c.

A good 7c outing flannel for, per yard, 5c.

9x12 tapestry brussels rugs, floral and oriental patterns, \$10.00 values reduced to \$11.98.

W. B. or C. B. corsets, in our \$1.50 numbers, reduced to \$1.22.

New mesh bags just received, new shapes and patterns, \$2.50 values reduced to \$1.58.

40-inch silk and wool poplins, black only, \$1.25 values, reduced to a yard, \$1.10.

Amoskeag apron check ginghams reduced to, a yard, 7c.

Toul de Norde ginghams will be reduced again to, a yard, 10c.

36 and 40-inch crepe de chins, any color, \$1.50 grades, reduced to, a yard, \$1.29.

Child's M-knitted waists, 15c grades reduced to 10c.

50c scrims, ecru or white, 36 to 40 inches wide, reduced to, a yard, 36c.

36-inch best grade percales, 15c values reduced to 12c.

Homecoming Sale

Beginning Oct. 10—Closing Oct. 17

Stupendous Sale for Home Folks, Home Comers and Visitors

THIS is the largest, newest and most complete stock we have ever had on our floors. In this Homecoming Sale we will give our customers a substantial reduction on every article in the store. It would take an entire issue of The Tribune to quote prices on every article, hence we give representative prices on but few lines, but everything will be equally reduced.

Come to the Homecoming; come to our store; we can make a visit both pleasant and profitable to you.

Iron Beds

Fifty patterns of iron beds, all of which will be on sale at special prices as follows:

\$ 3.50 and \$ 4.00 iron beds at	\$ 3.19
5.00 and 5.50 iron beds at	4.69
7.50 and 8.50 iron beds at	5.90
9.50 and 10.00 iron beds at	7.95
12.50 and 13.50 iron beds at	10.75
14.50 and 15.50 iron beds at	11.39
16.50 and 17.50 iron beds at	14.89

Brass Beds

The largest line ever shown in the city, all of the high quality and latest patterns.

\$12.50 brass beds at	\$10.98
16.00 brass beds at	13.90
18.50 brass beds at	16.65
22.50 brass beds at	19.75
25.00 brass beds at	21.95
30.00 brass beds at	26.70
35.00 brass beds at	31.30
50.00 brass beds at	39.75

Bed Room Suites

\$60.00 bed room suites	\$54.50
45.00 and 50.00 bed room suites	41.75
38. and 35.00 bed room suites	31.60

Steel Couches

We cannot quote prices in either line, but will offer a good steel couch at the low price of

Dressers

\$40.00 dressers	\$33.69
37.50 and \$38.50 dressers	33.69
35.00 dressers	31.48
30.00 dressers	26.30
25.00 dressers	22.39
22.50 dressers	19.85
20.00 dressers	17.60
16.00 and \$16.50 dressers	14.90
15.00 dressers	13.90
12.50 dressers	11.30
10.00 dressers	9.39

These dressers include both standard and Princess patterns. We have a great variety of Mahogany, Birdseye Maple, Carcase, Walnut and Oak dressers.

Dining Tables

\$45.00 dining tables	\$39.90
35.00 dining tables	31.60
27.50 dining tables	23.95
25.00 dining tables	21.80
22.50 dining tables	19.69
20.00 dining tables	17.39
19.00 dining tables	16.95
15.00 dining tables	13.69
12.50 dining tables	11.39
11.50 dining tables	10.45

These tables are in the pedestal and post designs, both round and square tops, and we have them in the golden oak polished, golden oak wax, Early English and trimmed oak finishes. These also include tables of complete dining room suites.

Library Tables

We have thirty patterns of library tables on our floors. These represent every finish in oak and mahogany. The prices on these will conform with prices quoted on other articles.

Buffets, Side Boards and China Closets

We have given special attention in selecting these lines which make it our strongest line in individual prices and complete suites.

\$65.00 buffets	\$59.45
60.00 buffets	53.90
50.00 Chinos	43.40
45.00 buffets	39.95
40.00 buffets	34.80
32.00 buffets and chinas	31.75
30.00 buffets and Chinas	27.30
25.00 buffets and chinas	22.45
24.00 buffets and chinas	21.35
22.50 sideboards	19.85
20.00 sideboards	17.30
18.00 sideboards	16.70

Other Specials

Besides the prices already quoted, we will make a SPECIAL PRICE on every article in the following lines:

Davenport, book cases, writing desks, dressing tables, chiffoniers, chiffoniers upholstered, Wood and Reed rockers, office chairs, bed room chairs, dining chairs, Morris chairs, hall seats, office desks, kitchen cabinets, bed springs, mattresses, wall paper, costumes, pedestals, Magazine racks, screens, mirrors.

We cordially invite you to the Homecoming and to our Homecoming Sale. You can save money by so doing.

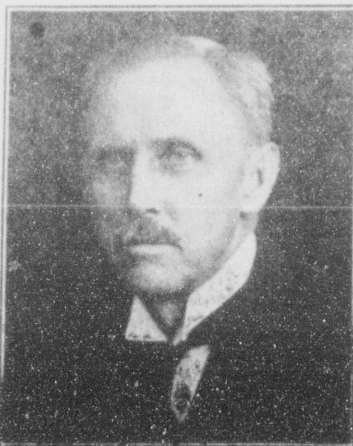
Maryville Furniture Co.

J. E. BAILEY, Manager

Undertaking Embalming Ambulance

A marriage license was issued yesterday in St. Joseph to Geo. W. Royston of Graham and Lena L. Latham of Savannah.

Cannot Address Methodists.



THE REV. J. W. LEE, D. D.
The Rev. J. W. Lee, D. D., pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, South, at St. Louis, will be unable to address the Methodist Episcopal conference here tomorrow night as planned. The Rev. G. S. Cox received word to that effect from Dr. Lee today. Other business of

the church there is given as the reason for being compelled to cancel his speaking engagement.

Dr. Lee will be succeeded on the program by Judge William H. Wallace of Kansas City, who was to have spoken tonight. Dr. Lee is an able speaker

and is known to the South church throughout the country. His topic here was to have been "The Mission of Methodism in the World Today." He is one of the most earnest advocates of the combination of the two branches of the Methodist church.

Make This Store Your Headquarters During Home Coming

We will have a beautiful display of the famous Gold Medal Hats in the morning. Some of them are large and dashing sailors—others are chic little turbans and toques in military and basque effects.

You will want to see them.

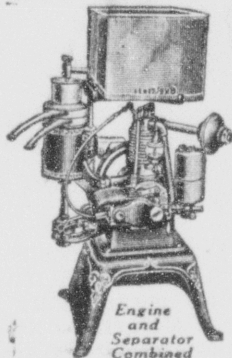
THE STYLE SHOP
BYERS & WALKER



The Sharpless Tubular Hand Separator

Runs easiest, skims closest and lasts a lifetime and only three pieces of the bowl to wash. And with four cows will make your income equal to five cows with the hand skimming process, let us show you the Sharpless process.

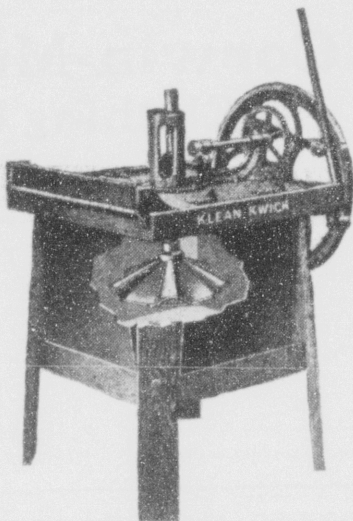
The most practical and economical Separator is the **Automatic** with its own gas engine, it costs less than 1c per hour to run and will deliver power for the washing machine, churn and pump water. Let us show you the Automatic.



The New Perfection Oil Heater has proven by actual service that it is safe and economical and does not throw off offensive gas or smoke, and is just the stove for early fall use.

The Klean Kwick Washer does just what its name indicates, and runs easy and you can wash the most delicate fabric without the least danger of damage. Let us show you why this is true.

A 25c fruit and vegetable press for 10c
17 quart granite dish pan for 25c.
8 quart granite lipt preserving kettle 25c.
Good No. 1 Tubular lantern for 35c.



H. C. BOWER
West Side Hardware

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

To Meet With Mrs. Richey.

The P. E. O. Chapter will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John D. Richey, 310 South Walnut street.

Robison-Hood.

Miss Donna Robison, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robison of Barnard and Virgil W. Hood of Bolckow were married yesterday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The marriage service was read by the Rev. E. G. Foreman of Bedford, Ia.

Mother's Club Entertain.

The Mother's Club of Pickering gave a "weenie roast" Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everhart. The husbands and families of the members were their guests on this occasion and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

To Honor Class Teacher.

The Anoma class of the First Baptist church will give a party Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Stella Epperson, in honor of its retiring teacher, Prof. B. F. Duncan. The work done by Mr. Duncan will be taken up by Mrs. Flora Quinn.

Miss Wilson Hostess.

Miss Edith Wilson gave a dinner Monday evening, with plates laid for eight. The decorations and menu appointments were carried out in pink and white. The guests were Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Inez Hall, Miss Anna Parle, Frank Schumacher, Edgar Rhoades, Harley Seymour and Andy Chris Cummins.

Homemakers Class to Meet.

The Homemakers class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Stone who lives on the Anderson Craig farm. All the members are requested to assemble at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the west side of the court house park, where conveyances will be provided to take them to the farm.

Juvenile Party.

Little Miss Eva Margaret Frank, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank celebrated her sixth birthday yesterday and in honor of the event Mrs. Frank entertained about thirty children from 4 till 6 o'clock at the Frank home. A picture show and juvenile games entertained the children until 5:30 when a supper was served. Mrs. Frank had the assistance in entertaining of Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and Miss Nelle Conrad.

To Observe Birthday.

Mrs. L. S. Yeo entertained a number of the friends of her son, Lauron, yesterday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock, to observe the boy's seventh birthday

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Special

WE have assembled an unusual assortment of Ladies' and Misses' New Fall Suits, THIRTY in all, values to \$22.50, for Friday and Saturday Special



\$16.95

These suits are the very latest models, there being in the assortment, the Russian Tunic, Moyen Age, Redingote and plain tailored effects. All are new styles for fall 1914.

The materials are varied, there being Serges, Poplins, Cheviots and Granite Cloths, both in plain and fancy weaves

The colorings are the best fall shades, such as Black, Navy, Copenhagen, Tete-de-Negre and Taupe. Some have the Black Velvet collar and cuffs.

The sizes range from 32 to 44. We can fit you.

Silk Petticoat Sale

We are placing on sale, Friday and Saturday, a beautiful assortment of Silk Messaline Petticoats. Unusual values at \$3.00. Sale price

\$2.19

In this assemblage are the Emerald Green, Copenhagen, American Beauty, Navy, Brown and Kelley Green. All are made with a plaited flounce.

Remember these prices are for Friday and Saturday only. You should be here early as they won't last long at these prices.

Attractive Shoes

You want to look your best during Homecoming Week. Your Shoes will play a big part in

Your Appearance

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anniversary. The hours were spent with juvenile games and a two course luncheon was served at 5:30. The guests were Miss Julia Denny, who is Master Lauron's teacher, Harriet Miller, Court Landon, Lois and Lona Gilbert, Ruth and Bailey Protzman, Carrie Margaret Dixon, Cleola Kirch, Helen Lahr, Jackie Gray, Tint Waite, Paul and Frances Shonley, Burdette, Emma Mae and Lauron Yeo.

Betrothal Announcement.

An engagement of recent date which will be of interest to many friends in this city is that of Miss Grace Helen Allen, the daughter of Secretary of

State and Mrs. W. S. Allen, of Des Moines, Ia., and Mr. George S. Jay, of Shenandoah, Ia. The wedding is set for early in November. Miss Allen is a cousin of Mrs. M. L. Beattie, of this city. Both she and Mr. Jay have been frequent visitors at the Beattie home and are well known here. The wedding will take place at the Allen home in Des Moines and Mr. and Mrs. Beattie will attend.

Mrs. Loch Hostess.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Pickering church held a special meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. C. F. Loch. The time was spent in prepara-

tion for the bazaar to be given by the society early in December. The women took baskets of good things to eat and at noon a dinner was served. Those present were Mrs. Hogue, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Laura Watson, Mrs. Jane Leech, Mrs. Jack Van Buren, Mrs. George Hackett, Mrs. Irvin Loch, Mrs. Peter Casperson, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Miss Beulah Everhart, and Miss Goldie Loch.

Nodaway county patrons at Wednesday's market included the following: J. B. Horton, P. R. Growney, Fine & Co., G. E. Edwards, Rasco & Eaton, A. F. Wilson and C. T. Rasco & Ptn.

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that's making good.*

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Recorder. That's
Reasonable*

—Advertisement

Returns to Chicago.

Mrs. John Bellows of Chicago, who has been visiting at the homes of Mrs. George P. Bellows and Charles and Fayette Bellows, left yesterday for her home. Mrs. Bellows accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Wilfley in their car as far as St. Joseph.

To Visit at Bolckow.

William and Joe Saunders and Miss Prudence Saunders, accompanied by their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone of Independence, Mo., left this morning for Bolckow, where they will attend the fair and visit at the homes of U. D. Jennings and L. A. Saunders.

TO STORE APPLES

GOVERNMENT ADVISES GROWERS
TO HOLD FRUIT.

AWAIT HIGHER PRICES

Says Glutting of Market Will Result
Unless Pomes are Held—Give
Storage Advice.

In view of the interference with the European market and the large production of American apples this season, specialists of the department of agriculture call the attention of apple growers to the advantages of cold storage for steadying the market at harvest and for lengthening the selling period.

Glutting of the market will result, it is feared, in many thousands of barrels of good apples rotting in the orchard or being disposed of at prices which figure at a net loss to the growers.

The following are the directions given by the apple handling specialists of the department for using cold storage successfully in handling apples:

The proper function of cold storage is to retard the ripening process of the fruit and the development of decay organisms and skin blemishes. The first responsibility for the keeping quality of his fruit rests with the grower since it is his growing and handling methods that largely determine its vitality, freedom from disease, and general condition when stored. Cold storage is not a remedy, or a restorative for poorly developed, weak, imperfect fruit, but is the most effective method of preserving the quality, flavor and appearance possessed by the fruit at the time of picking.

Insure Sound Fruit.

The first step in successful cold storage of apples has been found to lie in the practice of such cultural, spraying and pruning methods as insure production of sound, healthy, well colored fruit, free from disease. Assuming this as the first requisite, the following factors have been found to most influence the keeping quality of the fruit, and furnish best conditions for long storage:

1. Proper maturity at time of picking.
2. Care in all handling operations.
3. Prompt storage after picking.
4. A proper storage temperature.

Maturity Tests.

Careful and extensive investigations have demonstrated that fruit picked at full maturity can be held for a longer period in storage, and is less affected by scald and decay than that picked when somewhat immature. Two important commercial varieties, Rome Beauty and Winesap, have been found to be especially susceptible to scald during storage if picked prematurely. There is no doubt that several thousand dollars are lost to the industry each year through the improper picking of these two varieties alone. The results emphasize strongly that more care and attention should be paid to this detail of the harvesting operations than is usually the case.

By full maturity, however, is not meant over-maturity, which may cause fully as heavy losses as immaturity. Each grower should study his own fruit and his own conditions in order to determine the proper picking stage. Probably the most reliable single indication of maturity is the whitening or slight yellowing of the "ground color" of the fruit. This is the color underlying the blush or red color and should not be confused with the latter.

Careful Handling.

Care in all handling operations is the second important requisite of successful storage. A class of fungi, of which the common blue mold is an example, are known to be unable to attack and cause decay of healthy, un-

injured fruit. In spite of this fact, very serious rots both in storage and in transit to market are the work of fungi of this type, and the largest contributory cause in all cases is bruising or skin breaking suffered by the fruit in picking and packing operations. Microscopic bruises and breaks in the skin are large enough to afford entrance to the spores of these fungi and the necessity for the utmost care in all operations connected with the handling of the fruit to avoid bruising and mechanical injuries is more urgent than most growers realize.

Prompt Storage.

There is a marked difference in condition between fruit stored promptly after picking, say not more than two days later, and otherwise comparable lots of which the storage is delayed ten days or two weeks. Such delay is especially injurious during a period of warm, humid weather. The delayed fruit at withdrawal from storage is ripier, yellower and duller than the corresponding "immediate," stored fruit and in addition develops more serious scald and decay. The importance of eliminating all avoidable delay in storing cannot be too strongly emphasized.

Storage Temperatures.

From 31 degrees to 32 degrees Fahrenheit is the standard storage temperature for apples, and this has been found to be the best for long keeping of the fruit. Higher temperatures permit the ripening of the fruit to advance more rapidly, with the result that the fruit at these temperatures reached the end of its storage life much sooner. In addition the lower temperature retards most effectively the development of fungus decays and skin blemishes. For a short storage period higher temperatures may be used without serious trouble especially with the better keeping varieties.

Apples should be withdrawn from storage while still firm, and in this condition can be held on the market in satisfactory shape for several days or weeks. If allowed to become excessively overripe in storage, however, they will break down very fast on withdrawal.

Return to Ohio.

Mrs. S. G. Vorhes and daughter, Margaret, of Albany, Ohio, who have been spending the summer in Maryville at the home of Mrs. Vorhes' brother, David S. Angell and family left yesterday for their home.

Boy Scouts To Meet.

The organization of Boy Scouts will meet in the First Christian church tonight when the "tenderfoot" examination began a week ago, will be completed. There are several applicants for membership. An effort to get 100 or more boys to join in the



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Low Western Fares End.

The semi-annual reduced one-way passenger fares to the west which became effective this fall, September 24, end today. These low fares are put on by the railroads each fall and spring.

A rate of \$26.90 to the Rocky Mountain regions and \$30.90 to Pacific coast points prevailed.

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Starting TODAY, JOHN J. HALL will give with each dollar purchase of goods from his store 100 votes on the real miniature range you can now see in his window display.

To the little girl, under 14 years of age, who gets the most of these votes, he will give the range which is worth \$25.00.

You must see this dandy little range. It is just like the big range, the famous RANGE ETERNAL, built by the Engman-Matthews Range Co.—two generations of range builders. It is a masterpiece in range construction. Made by men who have never marketed a mistake, the best looking, best made and longest lasting range on the market. It is the range for women who demand the best for the money. A week's demonstration of this range will be given, Commencing October 22,

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SELECT ELECTION JUDGES

County Court Names 138 Officials—Adjourn Today.

The 138 judges for the fall election, which will be held November 3, were selected by the county court late yesterday afternoon. Three Republican and three Democratic judges were appointed for each of the twenty-three precincts. In the general elections the judges select their own clerks.

Following is the list of the judges, the first three being Republicans and the last three Democrats:

Atchison; Charles Griffey, C. C. McDermott, S. E. Taylor, Howard Bancroft, J. E. Beam, George Clary.

Grant; Daniel Hartley, W. D. Wohlford, William Goforth, John McKee, W. A. Gardner, John Tulloch.

Green; A. C. Parshall, H. A. Bailey, E. S. Duncan, A. C. Ford, William Job, Roe Carpenter.

Hopkins; Willis Oxley, Henry Russell, Robert Huston, J. F. Robb, W. R. Tame, S. E. Browne.

Hughes; Edward Goodpasture, W. H. Brown, Frank Lyle, C. C. Trapp, John Gex, Charles Zeff.

Independence, South; Frank Hall, Charles Evans, John McKee, L. C. Gooden, Edward Simmons, John A. Sparks.

Independence, North; Edward Hubbard, B. W. Archer, Floyd Reddick, Port Dowis, L. A. Nigh, J. L. Hepburn.

Jackson; John Steiger, R. J. Pettigrew, Joseph Proctor, O. E. Stith, Mark Hefflin, Emmett Bishop.

Jefferson, Northeast; James M. Enis, Thomas Merrigan, John S. Keefe, Leo Bliley, J. T. McCann, Bruce Mont-

dale, Jefferson, Northwest; P. L. Growney, Edward Allen, Andrew Wilcox, T. W. Costello, P. J. Lyons, W. S. Vandeventer.

Jefferson, South; Thomas Archer, John Allen, Walter Kuhn, Joe Rougley, Joseph Gaa, Father Joachim.

Lincoln, North; William Johnson, Jr. John Vansickle, Luke Adkins, Clark Horn, Amos Costello, Harve Kinman.

Lincoln, South; Guy Plummer, Frank Potts, Walter Cochran, Otis Humphrey Miles Fast, Charles Hudson.

Monroe; E. T. French, Theodore Quinn, Walter Iddings, Ray Strickler, Jonas Brown, Aaron Linville.

Nodaway; George McKnight, J. S. Staples, J. F. Hackett, S. S. Webb, Chester Ferguson, Edgar Johnston.

Polk, First Ward; W. W. Glass, Ernest Wray, Hal Hooker, W. B. Hanna, A. F. Harvey, A. A. Wiley.

Polk, Second Ward; Charles Eckert, Frank Compton, Dave Neidel, J. D. Ford, Frank Hall, John Halasey.

Polk, Third Ward; Roy Curfman, John Yates, Will Montgomery, John R. Evans, L. C. Cook, Will O'Grady.

Polk, Fourth Ward; Fred Smith, R. D. Stewart, Frank Goodspeed, Roll Thomas, Thomas Kane, W. A. Tindall.

Union; L. O. Rickard, B. T. Wray, F. M. Wallis, C. G. Swinford, Emmett Gray, Edmond Harvey.

Washington; George Ballard, W. E. Brittain, Charles C. Reynolds, Roxey Hocker, Millard Ellis, Sam Jobe.

White Cloud, North; E. E. Woodward, Samuel Corrough, Everett Moore, Edward Busby, J. T. Goff, Doug Hoshor.

White Cloud, South; W. H. Fannon, Charles Armstrong, Clarence Swann, S.

M. Icke, Walter Campbell, Edward Cliser.

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Furred tongue, bad colds, indigestion, sallow skin and miserable headache comes from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then to keep their stomach, liver and bowels regulated, and never know a miserable moment. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

Glover Kelley left yesterday for Wathena, Kan., called there by the death of his daughter Mrs. S. Biggs. Mrs. Briggs was formerly a resident of Maryville.

HEADS PADUCAH SCHOOLS.

Former Maryville Young Man In Fine
Position in Kentucky School.

Prof. Jerome H. Bentley, a former Maryville young man and a graduate of the city high school is now head of the public schools of Paducah, Ky. Mr. Bentley is the son of Dr. J. J. Bentley of St. Joseph, corresponding secretary of the Deaconess Home and Hospital association of Missouri. Dr. Bentley was presiding elder of the Maryville district for several years and the family resided here for some time.

WAGONS—Get the other man's price and then go to F. Barmann's and buy your wagon.

Circle to Assemble.

The Queen Esther Circle of the First Methodist church will assemble at the library Saturday afternoon and will attend in a body the session of the conference which is to be devoted to the Woman's Home Missionary Society work with a special address by Mrs. Annie Hobbs Woodcock, of Des Moines Iowa.

M. Arkon, of Barnard, spent yesterday in Maryville looking after business interests.

Guest at the Wells Home.

During his stay in Maryville, the Rev. W. F. Sheridan, D. D., of Chicago, was a guest of Mrs. W. R. Wells and family. Mr. Sheridan's daughter was a class mate of Miss Marie Wells at Northwestern University at Evanston. Dr. Sheridan delivered the address at the opening of the Methodist conference Tuesday evening.

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Besides the regular classes of exhibits of Corn and Domestic Science for Boys and Girls, the following classes are open to all persons of Nodaway County.

SECTION A—GRAINS and SEEDS.

Class	1st Pre.	2nd Pre.	3rd Pre.
1. Best peck of winter wheat.....	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.50
2. Best peck of rye.....	2.00	1.00	.50
3. Best peck of oats.....	2.00	1.00	.50
4. Best gallon of clover seed.....	2.00	1.00	.50
5. Best gallon of timothy seed.....	2.00	1.00	.50
6. Best gallon of millet seed.....	1.00	.50	

SECTION B—GRASSES and GRAINS in STALKS.

Class	1st Pre.	2nd Pre.	3rd Pre.
7. Best display of timothy.....	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.50
8. Best display of red clover.....	2.00	1.00	.50
9. Best display of alfalfa.....	2.00	1.00	.50
10. Best display of corn on stalk.....	2.00	1.00	.50
11. Best display of blue grass.....	2.00	1.00	.50
12. Best display of cow peas.....	2.00	1.00	.50
13. Best display of alsike.....	2.00	1.00	.50

SECTION C—MISCELLANEOUS.

Class	1st Pre.	2nd Pre.	3rd Pre.
14. Largest pumpkin.....	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.50
15. Largest squash.....	2.00	1.00	.50
16. Largest watermelon.....	2.00	1.00	.50
17. Best peck of potatoes.....	2.00	1.00	.50
18. Best peck of sweet potatoes.....	2.00	1.00	.50
19. Best head of cabbage.....	2.00	1.00	.50

SECTION D—APPLES

Class	1st Pre.	2nd Pre.	3rd Pre.
20. Best plate of apples, Ben Davis.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50
21. Best plate of apples, Jonathan.....	1.50	1.00	.50
22. Best plate of apples Grimes' Golden.....	1.50	1.00	.50

23. Best plate of apples, Winesap.....	1.50	1.00	.50
24. Best plate of apples, Genet.....	1.50	1.00	.50
25. Best plate of apples, York Imperial.....	1.50	1.00	.50
26. Best plate of apples, Gano.....	1.50	1.00	.50
27. Best plate of apples, any other var.....	1.50	1.00	.50

SECTION E—MISCELLANEOUS.

Class	1st Pre.	2nd Pre.	3rd Pre.
28. Best plate of pears.....	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.50
29. Best plate of peaches.....	2.00	1.00	.50
30. Best plate of plums.....	1.00	.50	
31. Best plate of grapes.....	2.00	1.00	.50
32. Choice bouquet of geraniums.....	2.00	1.00	.50
33. Choice bouquet of Asters.....	2.00	1.00	.50
34. Choice bouquet of garden flowers.....	2.00	1.00	.50
35. Best pound of butter.....	2.00	1.00	.50
36. Best composition on butter making.....	2.00	1.00	.50
37. Best composition on caring for apple trees.....	2.00	1.00	.50
38. Best composition on canning fruit.....	2.00	1.00	.50

(A plate of apples or pears shall consist of five specimens; of peaches and plums, ten specimens; of grapes, five bunches).

FARMERS CORN CONTEST

RULES

- Any farmer in Nodaway county is eligible to enter corn in the contest.
- No farmer will be permitted to enter more than one ten-ear exhibit; one twenty-ear exhibit and one single ear exhibit.
- All corn entered must be grown in 1914.

CLASS B

For the best ten ears of white corn—	
First prize.....	\$ 7.00

Second prize.....	5.00
Third prize.....	3.00
Fourth prize.....	2.00
Fifth prize.....	1.00

CLASS S

For best ten ears of yellow corn—	
First prize.....	\$ 7.00
Second prize.....	5.00
Third prize.....	3.00
Fourth prize.....	2.00
Fifth prize.....	1.00

CLASS T

For best twenty ears of white corn—	
First prize.....	\$10.00
Second prize.....	7.00
Third prize.....	5.00
Fourth prize.....	3.00
Fifth prize.....	1.00

CLASS U

For the best twenty ears of yellow corn—	
First prize.....	\$10.00
Second prize.....	7.00
Third prize.....	5.00
Fourth prize.....	3.00
Fifth prize.....	1.00

CLASS W

For the best ear of corn—	
First prize.....	\$ 4.00
Second prize.....	3.00
Third prize.....	2.00
Fourth prize.....	1.00

(For complete premium list, call on W. M. Oakerson).

Just Bear in Mind

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MARYVILLE, MO.

Has It Cheaper

MAKES ADDRESS HERE.

One of the more prominent and eminent speakers of the Methodist conference tomorrow night and of the entire week's program is Judge William H. Wallace of Kansas City, who will deliver the closing address of the day's meeting. Judge Wallace is a strong advocate of temperance and prohibition and is well known throughout the United States. He was defeated in the primary election last August in the Democratic race for United States senatorial candidacy by the present incumbent, William J.

Stone.

His greater fame came for his able record as a jurist, having but in the last few years retired from the criminal court of Kansas City. Judge Wallace, by birth, is a Kentuckian, being born there in 1848. Next Sunday will be his sixty-sixth birthday. When nine years old he came with his parents to a farm in Missouri.

He received a common school and collegiate education and is a graduate of Westminster college at Fulton. He soon afterwards began the law practice in Kansas City, which has been his home. He was prosecuting attorney



JUDGE WILLIAM H. WALLACE.

ney of Jackson county from 1889 to 1884, inclusive.

He was appointed judge of the criminal court of that county in 1907, which has been his last public office. He still maintains a legal practice.

SIXTY SHIPS GET U. S. AID

Large Fleet Placed Under American Registry to Avoid Capture.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Sixty foreign built vessels, with an aggregate of 233,781 gross tons, have been removed from danger of capture by the European powers involved in the present war by admission to the American registry, according to official announcement by the department of commerce. Fifty-four of the vessels previously sailed under the British flag. Four German vessels and two Belgian complete the list.

Second Son of Kaiser Injured.

Berlin, Oct. 8.—Prince Eitel Friedrich, the second son of Emperor William, was thrown from his horse in a recent battle and injured his knee. The emperor's youngest son, Prince Joachim, who has recovered from a wound received in battle, is awaiting his father's permission to return to the front.

Rivers and Harbors Fund Is Allotted.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Allotment of the \$20,000,000 appropriated by congress for river and harbor improvement this year was announced by the board of army engineers. The largest single allotment was to the Mississippi river commission.

Cubs Take Opener From Sox.

Chicago, Oct. 8.—The Chicago Nationals drew first blood in the series to decide the championship of Chicago when they defeated the local Americans, 4 to 2.

REPORTS SHOW ACTIVE CHURCH

(Continued from first page.)

on the waiting list," he declared. It was the belief of Mr. DeLong that the inhabitants of a country should look after a man's physical welfare before his religious well-being. "The hospital at St. Joseph is doing as great a work in caring for the unfortunates as any hospital in the country," said Mr. DeLong. "Just as difficult operations and cases are taken care of as at any place."

"Should Have More Hospitals."

"Much of the work in the St. Joseph hospital is done without charge. The work we are accomplishing at our hospitals to help those who do not have the means to help themselves, and to make more places where the ill may receive the best care under the latest methods."

The church hospital according to Mr. DeLong can be of greater use because it helps those that the private hospital does not help and carries with it more of the Christian spirit than the private hospital. He said that the Methodist Episcopal church not only needed more hospitals to care for its own people but it needed them also because of the great needs for hospitals in general.

Mr. DeLong exhibited a roll of closely typewritten names, the names of people who had subscribed to the hospital fund. The roll extended from the church pulpit to the front door of the church. This roll will be placed in the corner stone of the church. He explained that \$1,000 would maintain a hospital room for a long time and that \$200 would equip a room in the hospital.

"The Methodist Episcopal church maintains the only school for negro physicians in the world," said I. C. Garland Penn, negro, and corresponding secretary of the Freedmen's society. "More than half of the negro physicians of the United States have been turned out by this school. And these negro physicians are doing a great work in improving the condition of the health of their race," he declared.

According to Penn, the negro can and is making a place for himself in the world. To do this he has to attend strictly to business, work hard and study to improve his thinking power. Penn gave examples of negroes who had moved to positions of responsibility and power by applying themselves to their work. He gave as an example the fact that the United States treasury had a negro at one time for the registrar.

The negro, according to Penn, is one of the strongest workers for the prohibition movement. Some of the largest movements in favor of prohibition have been the result of the negro. He mentioned examples of southern states where a big per cent of the population is negro had cast the greatest vote against the liquor traffic. The negro realizes that the saloon is his greatest enemy, and in order that he may accomplish things he must fight the traffic.

"If the negro will always act as a gentleman, work hard and study much he will place himself in a position to make a mark in the world which he cannot accomplish otherwise," said Penn.

Penn thinks that it would be a bad thing for the country if the line of racial distinction is too closely drawn. He believes that the negro and the whites should have some matters of common interest so that they will not be continually hostile to each other.

METHODISTS SPEND \$7,130

Report of First Church Shows \$2,583 Was for Benevolences.

The report of the board of trustees of the First Methodist Episcopal church at the fourth quarterly meeting of the conference year this week, which was submitted at the conference this morning, shows the expenses of the church the last year was \$7,130. Of this amount \$2,750 was for ministerial support. This last sum includes the pastor's salary, contribution for salary of district superintendent and support of societies and organizations.

Sixty-one members have been added to the church congregation within the year which closed Sunday. The church is entirely free from debt, except for a small deficiency in the current expense fund.

CONFERENCE NOTES.

Dr. Frank E. Day of Newton, Ia., until recently pastor of the White Temple of St. Joseph, arrived in Maryville today to attend the Methodist conference this week. He probably will be called on for a short talk. Dr. Day was succeeded a short time ago at St. Joseph by the Rev. C. O. Kimball, who also is attending the conference here. Dr. Day is now pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Newton.

Not all the persons attending the Methodist conference here this week are Missourians. Several Iowa ministers and workers in the church are to be seen in the crowd. They, however, formerly held pastorates in this state, and just can't bear to stay away long at a time. Maryville welcomes them with just that same earnestness and sincerity as she does those that still live within the boundaries of Missouri.

The Rev. L. O. Sample, who yesterday was elected treasurer of the Methodist conference for the ensuing year, is now pastor at Hannibal. He also has served pastorates in Iowa, Kansas, and for four years was in the Massachusetts ministerial field.

H. H. Schuler of the Maryville Conservatory of Music favored the conference with a vocal solo yesterday afternoon.

Kind expressions of the generous and cordial treatment of the conference visitors are heard on every hand.

The Conference Spirit is abroad in the city.

BAKE NEW YORKER IN OVEN

Doctors Put Poison Victim in 300 Degree Temperature and Cure Him.

New York, Oct. 8.—David R. Beach, the insurance broker who three weeks ago drank a glass of water containing poison, returned to his office, apparently re-covered.

The secret of the cure was in the promptness with which relief measures were taken. These consisted of saline injections and baking Mr. Beach in an electric oven with a temperature of 300 degrees Fahrenheit.

It was necessary to place the patient in the oven three times before his kidneys resumed their functions. Mr. Beach said he did not feel the heat at all.

Ready to Embrace Tsingtau.

Peking, Oct. 8.—According to advice received here the railroad station at Chinan, in Shantung province, west of Kiangsu, has been occupied by thirty Japanese soldiers. The Japanese legation here says these men are ready for an attack on Tsingtau. The German garrison, the legation continues, will be summoned to surrender and opportunity will be given non-combatants to come out. The American legation in Peking has sent instructions to W. R. Peck, the American consul at Tsingtau, to come out when this opportunity is offered.

FRIDAY A Big Bargain Day at Townsend's Spot Cash Grocery

Don't forget to include in your order 15 lbs. fine granulated sugar for \$1.00

Choice northern Potatoes, small lots, per bushel 75c
Pancy Red Globe (Ohio grown) Onions, 8 lbs 25c
Large Spanish Onions, 4 lbs 25c
2 quarts best Cranberries 15c
3 pkgs new Dates 25c
2 pkgs Washington Crisps 15c
Assorted Cookies, iced and plain, per pound 10c
Jonathan Eating Apples, 6-lb basket for 20c
Fresh Corn Meal, 2 sacks 45c
Valencia Sweet Oranges, per doz. 12½c, 25c, 30c and 45c.

No. 3 best Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c
No. 2 best Tomatoes, 4 cans for 25c
No. 2 best Iowa Sugar Corn, 4 cans for 25c
Quart cans Pork and Beans (tomato sauce), 3 for 25c
Messina Lemons, doz 15c
Macaroni, Vermicelli or Spaghetti, 10 pkgs, 2 for 15c
16-oz 25c can Rumford Baking Powder 20c
25-oz 25c can Kansas City Baking Powder 17c
80-oz 80c can Kansas City Baking Powder 55c
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs for 25c
New Moist Mince Meat, lb 10c
Choice Young Chickens, lb 12c
New arrival fine Malaga Grapes, per pound 15c
Best Northern Cabbage, 100 lbs. \$1.50
Best Country Sorghum, 10-lb pails 70c
Gallon cans (new goods) Peaches 40c
Gallon cans (new goods) Apricots 40c
Gallon cans (new goods) Raspberries for 50c
Gallon cans (new goods) Blackberries for 45c
Gallon cans (new goods) Pitted Cherries 75c
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WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Inter-city insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

A want ad will rent it—Good tenants seek desirable houses or apartments, stores or rooms as eagerly as owners seek them. A classified ad in The Democrat-Forum will create a demand for it.

FOR SALE—Cheap, practically new heating stove, 310 East Cooper. 29-4

FOR SALE—Pears. Fine variety. Call Hanamo 553. 6-8

LOST—A big, maltese and grey striped cat—no white—reward. 5-7. MRS. M. G. TATE.

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bull calves. All roans. J. A. Appleby, Maryville, route 5. Farmers phone 2416. 4-10

Market at Montgomery shoe store Saturday by the women of St. Patrick's parish. 8-9

FOR SALE—4 pure bred Poland male hogs, 1 yearling. J. J. PYLES, Farmer's phone 32-12. 8-10.

EXCURSION to Canada Tuesday, Oct. 13. \$28 round trip. Last low rate this year. Allen Brothers. 8-10

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars one aged. Some yearlings and spring pigs. All immune. H. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, Farmers phone.

WANTED—Dressmaking. Mrs. Cora Berry. 311 North Walnut.

FOR SALE—100 head extra good Angora goats. R. C. Hollensbe, Pickering, Mo. 6-8

FOR RENT—Four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping 213 North Main street. Inquire J. A. Ford. 29-4

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 525 West First street. Mrs. R. G. Koch. 7-13

WANTED—Good clean rags, must be free from lint and buttons. Bring to this office.

FOR SALE—40 head choice native breeding ewes, Shropshires. R. M. Evans, Route 4. Farmers' phone 40-21. 2-8

FOR RENT—Two large rooms with modern conveniences. Board if desired. 131 South Main. Phone 4624. 5-11

FOR SALE—Two good rockers, 1 single bed and 1 small stove suitable for bedroom. 404 West Second St. Phone 4507 Hanamo. 7-11

FOR SALE—40 acre farm well improved, in this county, \$1,500 cash handle. Address Lock Box 53, Burlington Junction. 5-14

LOST—University of Pennsylvania gold seal, worn as a watch fob pendant. Return to Dr. Thomas for reward. 6-8

FOR SALE—Two English shepherd pups. Inquire V. P. Casperson, Pickering, Mo., route 2. Farmers phone 16-31. 6-8

SEE or phone me for superior home-grown alfalfa hay, baled or loose. No moldy or rotten cored bales. Sold in half ton lots and up. Elmer Fraser. 5-11

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

FOR SALE—Wood, lumber and posts. Also want farm hands and timber men. See Saunders Brothers, Farmers phone. Residence across the street from Burlington freight depot. 7-11

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Be independent. Short term qualifies. Positions waiting. Our graduates qualified for best jobs. Wages while learning. Tools given. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo. 5-10

FOR SALE—My old residence of eight rooms, including bath, toilet, washstand, kitchen boiler, sink and all plumbing connections; also screens, electric fixtures and picture molding. Possession given as soon as new residence is completed. Reasonable time to remove house from present lot. Berney Harris. 6-8

Laying or Looing?

Make your hens and pullets lay now and keep them laying all winter by giving them

Pratts Poultry Regulator

Makes the loafers lay and gives you lots of eggs now. All your birds keep healthy and require less feed. It actually saves its cost.

Guard against Roup by using Pratts Roup Remedy—Tablets or Powder. Guaranteed to prevent as well as to cure.

Koch Pharmacy. 6892.

Silk Hose are in Great Demand

And we can supply your needs at almost any price you wish to pay. Cotton and lisle hose are not desirable when you buy silk at the same prices.

We mention below a few of our best selling numbers. No. 6702 at 25c.

A ladies' light weight silk boot and lisle top hose, color black and white, a most exceptional hose for 25c. Try a pair.

No. 6706 at 40c or 3 pairs for \$1.00.

A ladies' fibre silk boot and lisle top, color black and white, heavy reinforced heel and toe. This hose is well known in town for its exceptional wearing qualities.

No. 6710 and 5032 at 50c.

Ladies' light weight and fibre silk hose in black and white, heavy reinforced heel and toe. These two numbers are all silk, and are exceptional values for 50c.

No. 400 at 75c.

At this price we have the best silk hose made in the world. It is all silk, of a beautiful quality and finish, reinforced heel and toe with lisle top, full fashioned, and is far superior in every way to a seamless hose. They will not lose their shape after washing like American made seamless hose do. Ask for No. 400 and you will get this hose. We also sell Phoenix, but we consider this new hose superior for the same price.

For \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

We sell the famous Kayser hose, the finest silk hose made in the world. When you can buy a Kayser product of any kind you may know you are getting the most exquisite merchandise that can be produced.

Ask for No. 465 for \$1.00.
Ask for No. 201 for \$1.50.
Ask for No. 202 for \$2.00.

D. R. Eversole & Son